

THE CRESSET

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LOCAL LORE.

—If you want to read a religion paper, Subscribe for the CRESSET.

—John Q. Tyrrell called at this Office on last Tuesday.

—Geo. Myers called at this Office on last Tuesday and informed us of the delicacy of his wife.

—We had the privilege of seeing Elder Kenney pass through our Ville on last Tuesday.

—The Arbor will be ready for meeting next Sunday at 11 O'clock Sunday School at 8 o'clock.

—Mr. Eli Williams from Beaver was up at the CRESSET Office on last Monday.

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—Old Bro. Townsend, wife, son and daughter-in-law, passed through JAH-Ville, going to the mountain on last Wednesday.

—Mr. Tucker passed through our Ville with his large Engine and Clover Muller going North. Mr. Tucker is a man that will do you good work.

—Mr. W. C. Shelley and wife visited the Colony folks and took dinner with the Ed. on last Tuesday. The Ed. got the boss molasses of Mr. Shelley.

—Jesse Fogerson called at this Office on last Monday. Mr. Fogerson is one of our citizens who loves to see morality and religion built up in the neighborhood.

Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst the noted divine of New York City, is after District Attorney Jerome because the latter drinks too much. Jerome says the last time he took brandy he drank with Parkhurst. Dr. Parkhurst admits he drinks but only when he thinks he needs it. But that is the talk of every toper in the country. They all think they need it and perhaps they do as much as Dr. Parkhurst does.

—The Springfield Republic.

We are about to take Panama, in spite of the objections of some senators, under our wing. We are not going to annex, but we are going to see to it that no other country shall annex. That canal strip is to be ours, and it must be protected. The one way to do that is to insist upon peace in the little nation of Panama. Hence forth it will be our policy to prevent revolutions and invasions.

—The Springfield Republic.

Marines Are Marching.

COLON, Dec. 14.—A company of marines from the United States auxiliary cruiser Prairie was landed here today under command of Captain Butler and left for Panama, from whence the marines will be sent to a point on the coast north of Panama. This step was in consequence of the receipt of information that the Colombia troops had landed in that direction with the object of marching on Panama. It

this is confirmed it will mean the beginning of a long campaign of guerilla warfare on the isthmus. The destination of the marines is said to be Ya Viza up San Miguel gulf and Tuira river.

—Springfield Leader.

BRYAN SEES THE POPE.

ROME, Dec. 14.—William Jennings Bryan, accompanied by his son, was received in private audience by the pope today. Mr. Bryan was presented by Monsignor Kennedy, rector of the American college, who acted as interpreter.

His holiness spoke with great interest of the Catholics in the United States. After the audience Mr. Bryan expressed himself as highly pleased with the pope's kindly bearing.

Before going to the vatican Mr. Bryan visited several of the interesting sights of Rome, including the coliseum and the Roman forum.

He took particular interest in the spot from Cicero thundered his invectives against Cataline.

Later Mr. Bryan lunched with Ambassador Meyer.

—Springfield Leader.

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After reciting the condition of affairs which led up to the revolution in Panama, he said "Under such circumstances government of the United States would have been guilty of folly and weakness, amounting in their sum to a crime against the Nation had it acted otherwise than it did when the revolution of November 3 last took place in Panama. This great enterprise of building the interoceanic canal can not be held up to gratify the whims, or out of respect for the government impotence, or to the even more sinister and evil political peculiarities, of people who, though they dwell afar off, yet against the wish of the actual dwellers on the isthmus, assert an unreal supremacy over the territory. The possession of a territory fraught with such peculiar capacities as the isthmus in question carries with it obligations to mankind. The course of events has shown that this canal can not be built by private enterprise, or by any other nation than our own; Therefore it must be built by the United States. "All that remains is for the American Congress to do its part and for with this Republic will enter upon the execution of a project colossal in its size and of well-nigh incalculable possibilities for the good of this country and the nations of mankind".

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MURR SCHOOL ITEMS.

"By Pretty and Ugly."

Kind Ed. will you allow us space in your valuable paper.

We are having some cold weather now.

Ellen Murr has been on the sick list this week, we hope she will soon recover.

The meeting at Gravel Point was well attended Sunday.

Murr school is progressing nicely as we have one of Texas Co's best teachers.

John T. is traveling that straight and narrow path that leads to F. Murr's: how about it John.

We have some new scholars in our school now.

Oma Murr stayed out of school last week, hope she didn't stay to quilt.

All who want good grinding call at I. A. Murr's 1 and one half miles South of Alice P. O.

Hurrah! Xmas is coming we'll be there D. and L. you bet, bring your bells boys.

Wonder if E. and O. will get to go to the box supper at Dansmore.

Well as news is not very plenty we will say good bye. If this escapes the waste basket we will come again.

—The correspondents must send their names with items if they want to see them in print.

DUTCH TOWN ITEMS.

"By Chatter Box."

Kind Editor: Will you please give me space in your valuable paper for a few items, I haven't much to say but I will try to say a little.

We are having some cold weather at present, but we hope that it wont last long.

Mr. Gordon had a barn raising last Saturday, there were about thirty men there.

We are having a debate at the Rose school house weekly.

Sixteen to one chalanged th Rose school for a debate. We except their challenge, and will have the contest the night of the 18th. of this month.

This week ends the third menth of our school. the school has been progressing nicely so far.

The box supper and entertainment at the Rose school house was a complete success, every body reported a good time.

We have Sunday School every Sunday at the Chappell.

They say that Nellie Baker and Rufus are about to burst up. Wonder what is the trouble.

The people were all wondering what Geo. E. was chasing Nellie B. up and down the isle at church the other night for, but we have just found out, he was wanting to go home with her.

When I go to marry
You can bet,
I wont hurry
Nor I wont fret;
I'll take my time
As I go through,
And write a ryme
Of the good I do.

I want a girl
That's nice and cute,
With dark brown curls
And and a very plain suit;
I want one that's merry

And not always sad,
I want her to hurry
When I get mad.
I want her to milk
And wash the dishes,
She can be the boss
But I'll wear the breeches.

Miss Mattie Walker says John Cunningham is much calm and cunning.

Mr. Riley Tate is tall and slim,
But you bet your life he has a vim.

He would walk five miles in rain or snow,
Just to see Miss Susie Trumbo.

If these Items miss the waste basket, we will try to do better next time.

DUNSMORE ITEMS.

"By Sunshine"

Here I come with a few pieces for the CRESSET.

We are having very cold changeable weather just now.

Mrs. Wm. Murr has returned home from visiting her children bringing with her, her son Gar Alsop also her little grandson.

Mrs. Thomas Dunsmore and Mrs. John Holden visited at Lynn Myers Tuesday.

Mrs. Oliver Salsman has recovered from her sickness and was helping Mrs. Lynn Myers to quilt Miss Brown and Mrs. Myers are doing some very fine work and can't be beat when it comes to quilting, give them a call.

Dealia McGowen has been very sick, but is some better now.

Mr. Bob Ellis of Gearldine made a business trip to Oliver Salsman's Tuesday.

We were sorry to hear that the pie supper was changed, but we hope we shall have a nice time, for "Sunshine" is going and going to take a pie.

Remember the box supper at the Dunsmore school house the night of the 19th. of Dec.

The changing of the pie supper goes to show that there is no selfishness about Bro Garrett, and we hope to show him respect in all of his works that he may build up our country and make it what it once was.

This is all the news for this time so good bye to all.

Bro Tunnell, Plato Mo.

I see by the CRESSET of Dec. 3rd, that in your article, you say that to prove that secret societies are of divine origin that I use, Prov. 29 ch. You say, notice that this is a neighbor affair, well and good we will admit this to be so: Who is your neighbor? Read, Luke 10-29-37.

After quoting several scriptures you say nothing about a lodge here. I see that you are laboring under a mistake; it is not lodges or church houses that I have alluded to; neither is it made in Masonry, but the principals, as I know they have left their first love. Having a form of godliness, denying the power thereof.

You take King James Translation from the first of Gen. to the last of Rev., and you have the written history of Masonry. You say that God does not reveal His secrets to the unrighteous, that is true he makes a division between the righteous and the unrighteous, the church and the world.

You say that the secrets that the Lord reveals to the righteous and to them that fear him is the evidence of forgiving sins. I do not understand evidence to be any secret thing.

Do you think that if the Spirit of God should take up his abode in man, that it could be done secretly, would not the whole world know it?

He has promised in the last days to send his seven spirits to dwell in seven men that have cleansed themselves from all filthiness of the flesh; those that have brought their bodies a living sacrifice, wholly exceptable, which is their reasonable service.

When that times comes we will know what it means for the Spirit to bear witness with our spirit. Can and will you tell me, where and under what name THE CHURCH is, and is called?

Now as I have mentioned a positive command of God's Truths before; I will now call your attention to it the 3rd. time, in this language "Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not be ashamed, rightly dividing the Word of truth." (2nd. Tim. 2-15.)

Now please do not pass this by what does it mean, according to God's Word it is put there for our learning; now please tell me what we are to learn from this, I am anxious to know and you being a teacher of the Word, for six or seven years, you certainly must know. I shall wait patiently to be enlightened on this subject.

Yours for truth,
—C. A. Simons